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ITEM NO: WH-2

DATE : 14 NOVEMBER 1974

SUBJECT: ETHIOPIAN LEADER PLEASED BY US RESPONSE ON MILITARY AID

## REF

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GENERAL AMAN, THE HEAD OF THE PROVISIONAL MILITARY GOVERNMENT,

IS PLEASED WITH 25X1X6

SECRETARY KISSINGER'S MESSAGE CONVEYING THE DECISION TO GRANT  
ETHIOPIA ADDITIONAL CREDITS FOR MILITARY PURCHASES. AMAN ALSO  
EXPRESSED HIS SATISFACTION WITH THE US DECISION TO INCREASE MAAG  
ADVISORY EFFORTS. AMAN'S CHIEF DEPUTY TOLD [REDACTED]

████████████████████ THAT AMAN WAS ESPECIALLY HAPPY WITH THE POSITIVE  
TONE OF THE SECRETARY'S MESSAGE.

AMAN SAID THAT THE US RESPONSE RELIEVED HIM OF HAVING TO  
WORRY ABOUT THE SOVIETS. AMAN CLEARLY FEELS THE US RESPONSE

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HAS UNDERMINED RADICALS ON THE ARMED FORCES COORDINATING COMMITTEE WHO FAVOR TURNING TO THE SOVIET UNION FOR MAJOR MILITARY ASSISTANCE. THE ETHIOPIANS, HOWEVER, WILL PROBABLY CONTINUE TO ASK FOR MORE US ASSISTANCE, INCLUDING MORE GRANT AID.

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[REDACTED] AMAN LAST WEEK SAID HE WAS DIS-APPOINTED WITH THE SECRETARY'S REPLY. HE WAS PROBABLY EXPRESSING MINOR UNHAPPINESS AT THE LEVEL OF US AID; THE ETHIOPIANS HAD ASKED FOR MORE. E-2 IMPDET.H

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